In re Application of:

Docket No. 03500.007991.2

SHIGERU TAKESHITA, ET AL.

Application No.: 10/665,409

Group Art Unit: 2622 Filed: September 22, 2003

For: RECORDING APPARATUS INCLUDING PLURAL

STORAGE MEANS HAVING STANDBY MODES Date: August 16, 2004

Mail Stop Amendment THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED							
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 12	MINUS	** 20	0	x \$9 \$18	0	
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 1	MINUS	***	0	x \$43 \$86	0	
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$145°/\$290							
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						0	

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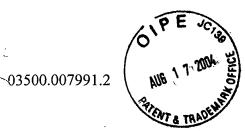
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	Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.					
	A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.					
	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed					
X	Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06 1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.					
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the fee for a month extension is enclosed.					
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.					
X	Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.					
	Respectfully submitted,					
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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to further examination of the above-identified continuation application, please amend the application as follows.